

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
USSN 10/697,239

**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

Please enter the enclosed Replacement Sheets 1/2 and 2/2, which are an English-language translation of the foreign-language drawings submitted with the application on October 31, 2003. No additional changes are made and no new matter is added by the enclosed Replacement Sheets.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets (2)

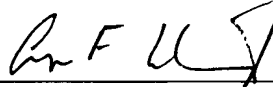
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**REMARKS**

Entry and consideration of this Preliminary Amendment prior to substantive examination are respectfully requested. The above amendments make stylistic changes and do not add new matter to the application.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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